# California Marine Life Protection Act Initiative North Coast Regional Stakeholder Group Draft Meeting Agenda

(revised January 28, 2010)

Monday, February 8, 2010 at 9:30 AM Tuesday, February 9, 2010 at 8:30 AM

Red Lion Hotel Eureka 1929 Fourth Street Eureka, CA 95501

**Public participation:** Members of the public are invited to attend the meeting in person or view and listen to the meeting via simultaneous webcasting on the Internet; an archived version will be available approximately two days after the meeting. Please visit the Marine Life Protection Act (MLPA) website at www.dfg.ca.gov/mlpa/meetings\_n.asp for more information.

The public will be invited to offer comments on the work of the MLPA North Coast Regional Stakeholder Group (NCRSG) at approximately 12:45 p.m. on Monday, February 8 and at 1:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 9. Note that the public comment period is for comments specific to the MLPA North Coast Regional Stakeholder Group; comments related to other MLPA Initiative activities or groups should be directed to those bodies or MLPA staff.

### **Meeting Objectives**

- Introduce the north coast project; review product goals, NCRSG charge and work plan, and project logistics
- Review and potentially adopt proposed NCRSG ground rules
- Present key findings of stakeholder assessment and implications for north coast project
- Share NCRSG member interests, areas of expertise, and geographic areas of importance
- Present update on north coast data and information
- Present BRTF guidance for developing MPA proposals
- Outline next steps to prepare for Meeting #2

## Meeting Agenda (see next page)

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#### Meeting Agenda - Monday, February 8, 2010

Note: The NCRSG will break for lunch at approximately 11:45 a.m. and public comment will be taken at approximately 12:45 p.m.

- I. Introduction to the MLPA North Coast Project
- **II. NCRSG Ground Rules**
- III. Stakeholder Assessment
- **IV. Planning Tools**
- V. Stakeholder Interests and Areas of Expertise

#### Meeting Agenda - Tuesday, February 9, 2010

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VI. Ground Rules (cont.)

Potential Action: Adopt NCRSG ground rules

- VII. Updates
- VIII. Guidance for Developing MPA Proposals
- IX. Geographic Areas of Importance
- X. Next Steps and Preparation for Second NCRSG Meeting (March 24-25, 2010)